

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kei KIRIBAYASHI, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/533,538

GAU: 1623

FILED: May 2, 2005

EXAMINER: HENERY, MICHAEL C.

FOR: PERITONEAL DIALYSIS METHOD

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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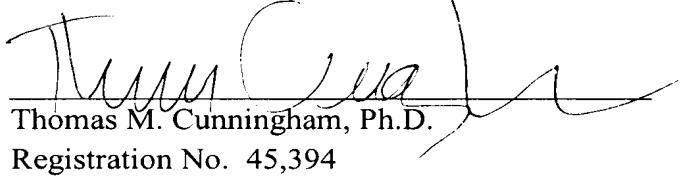
It is hereby requested that a **second one-month** extension of time be granted to April 18, 2009 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due March 18, 2009 has been filed.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The required fee of \$360.00 is being made by credit card payment (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), (the required fee of \$130.00 was previously paid on March 17, 2009, for a first one month extension of time) online and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

Respectfully Submitted,

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